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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
RESPONSE TO ELECTION/RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT TRANSMITTAL**

In re Application of: Francischelli, David
 For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR ASSESSING TRANSMURALITY OF ABLATION LESIONS
 Serial No.: 09/844,220
 Filed: 04-26-2001

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
 Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

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FEE CALCULATION:

FEE CALCULATION	No. of Claims Filed After Amendment	No of Claims Previously paid for	No. of Extra Claims	Rate	Fee
Total Claims	28	55	0	x 18	
Independent Claims	1	7	0	x 80	
Multiple Dependent Claims	No			+ 270	
TOTAL					

- Applicant hereby petitions for one months' extension of time. If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this petition therefor.
- Please charge Deposit Account No. 13-2546 \$110.00 for extension of time for a **TOTAL OF \$110.00**.
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- Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, if an extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for an extension of time.

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Dear Sir:

Amendment

Please cancel claims 1-27 without prejudice.

Remarks

Claims 1-55 are pending in the application. Claims 1-55 have been subject to a restriction or election requirement. In response, the applicants hereby elect species in Figure 9 for prosecution in the application without traverse. Claims 28, 29 and 36 are

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believed to be readable on the elected species. Claims 1-27 have been cancelled herein and claim 28 is believed to be generic for the claims that remain in the application.

Consideration and allowance of claims 28-55 is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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